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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Weiquan Liu)	Examiner: WOZNIAK, James
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Application No: 10/018,517)	Art Unit: 2626
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Filed: August 19, 2002)	Confirmation: 2647
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For: Method and Apparatus for)	
Summarizing Multiple Documents)	
Using a Subsumption Model)	
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE
(Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.104 (e))

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In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed March 5, 2008, Applicant hereby submits the following comments regarding the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowability.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

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<u>/Gayle Bekish/</u>	<u>5/29/2008</u>
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As an initial matter, the undersigned would like to thank the Examiner for the Examiner's thorough review of the above-captioned application and the allowance of claims 1, 2, 4-8, 10-14, and 16-18 in the Notice of Allowability, mailed March 5, 2008.

With regard to the Notice of Allowability, the undersigned submits herein a statement commenting on the reasons for allowance and respectfully requests that such statement be made of record.

Statement Commenting on the Reasons for Allowance

The Examiner, in the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance, may have referenced paraphrased limitations from certain of the allowed claims. To clarify the record for anyone who may later view the file wrapper in this application, the undersigned would like to emphasize that each claim should not be construed to include the limitations listed by the Examiner in the reasons for allowance. Rather, each claim should be construed to include only those limitations explicitly recited in the language of the claim.

Respectfully submitted,

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